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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket No. 4518US

First Inventor or Application Identifier

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Title See 1 in Addendum

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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2. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 45]
 (preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the Invention
 - Cross References to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to Microfiche Appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 4]
4. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages]
 a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
 b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d))
 (for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)
 [Note Box 5 below]
 i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
 Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
5. ☒ Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b is checked)
 The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered to be part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
 a. ☒ Computer Readable Copy
 b. ☒ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
 c. ☒ Statement verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
9. ☐ 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☐ Power of Attorney
10. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
11. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
12. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
13. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)
14. ☐ * Small Entity Statement(s) ☐ Statement filed in prior application, (PTO/SB/09-12) ☐ Status still proper and desired
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☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☒ Continuation-in-part (CIP)

of prior application No: 09/274,048

Prior application information: Examiner A. Davenport

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First Named Inventor	Robert Hans Meloen et al.
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Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
		101	690	Utility filing fee	345
		106	310	Design filing fee	0
		107	480	Plant filing fee	0
		108	690	Reissue filing fee	0
		114	150	Provisional filing fee	0

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Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
81	-20** = 61	9	549
3	-3** = 0	39	0
Multiple Dependent		0	0

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		103	18	Claims in excess of 20	
		102	78	Independent claims in excess of 3	
		104	260	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
		109	78	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
		110	18	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 549.00

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3. ADDITIONAL FEES

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		105	130	205 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
		127	50	227 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
		139	130	139 130 Non-English specification	
		147	2,520	147 2,520 For filing a request for reexamination	
		112	920*	112 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
		113	1,840*	113 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
		115	110	215 55 Extension for reply within first month	
		116	380	216 190 Extension for reply within second month	
		117	870	217 435 Extension for reply within third month	
		118	1,360	218 680 Extension for reply within fourth month	
		128	1,850	228 925 Extension for reply within fifth month	
		119	300	219 150 Notice of Appeal	
		120	300	220 150 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
		121	260	221 130 Request for oral hearing	
		138	1,510	138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
		140	110	240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
		141	1,210	241 605 Petition to revive - unintentional	
		142	1,210	242 605 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
		143	430	243 215 Design issue fee	
		144	580	244 290 Plant issue fee	
		122	130	122 130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
		123	50	123 50 Petitions related to provisional applications	
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		581	40	581 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
		146	690	246 345 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
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